

Connecting You With Resources You Need

*Office for Regulatory
Innovation and Assistance
helps people navigate
Washington's
environmental and business
regulatory systems and
works with our partners to
improve those systems.*

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ORIA Information Center

Real People with Real Answers

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The Governor's Office for Regulatory Innovation and Assistance (ORIA) helps you find the information you need to navigate Washington's regulations. You can contact our knowledgeable staff or visit our website to find answers to your questions about permitting, licensing, registrations and taxes. Some of our services are described below:

Environmental Permitting Resources

- ◆ [Project Questionnaire](#) asks a series of questions to help you determine which permits, licenses or approvals your project may need.
- ◆ [Washington State Regulatory Handbook](#) contains details about most of the commonly required environmental permits and offers additional resources.
- ◆ [Environmental Permit Fact Sheets](#) provide information on specific permit activities.
- ◆ Joint Aquatic Resources Permit Applications (JARPA) is a single applications form used by many environmental regulatory agencies and can be found at ePermitting.wa.gov.

Small Business Support

- ◆ **Washington's website for businesses** has links to important information about doing business within the state. www.Business.wa.gov
- ◆ **Washington State Small Business Guide** is a one stop, comprehensive resource for new and existing businesses. www.BizGuide.wa.gov
- ◆ **Small Business Liaison Team** provides quick contacts for state government information, assistance and speakers for events.
- ◆ **Roadmap** helps you license and register your business in Washington.

Regulatory Improvements

Washington State is always looking for more efficient ways to do business. Because ORIA helps people navigate existing regulatory systems, when potential improvements are identified, we work with appropriate agencies to make regulatory improvements.

Regional Assistance

ORIA provides specialized guidance in regions throughout Washington to applicants with complex projects. Contact our Information Center for assistance.

ORIA Technologies

- ◆ ORIA has an online tool that helps to inform stakeholders, coordinate project teams members and support efficient regulatory decision making.
EZView.wa.gov

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entrepreneurship can continue to thrive.***